



Docket No.: 1081.1198

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Naofumi TAMAI

Serial No. 10/821,922

Group Art Unit: 2633

Confirmation No. 2421

Filed: April 12, 2004

Examiner: BELLO, AGUSTIN

For: **WDM NETWORK SYSTEM AND WDM FOR USE THEREIN**

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on December 22, 2004. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to February 22, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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